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PADUCAH, KY., THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 31, 1901

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## THE WEATHER.

The mercury went down to 19 last night. The predictions are for fair and colder weather.

## NEWS AND COMMENT.

The Deutschland, which holds the record for being the fastest ship on the sea, burns up daily 570 tons of coal, and the Oceanic, which is the largest vessel afloat, but contents itself with averaging 22 knots an hour, burns 450 tons per day. Each ship carries between four and five thousand tons on each voyage.

The prosecution against Herman J. Naunheim, on the charge of altering the books of the Owensboro National bank to conceal a shortage, and of embezzling the bank's money, was continued at Owensboro till the next term of the federal court. His bail was fixed at \$3,000.

Indictments were returned against George Reeves and John Reeves, fugitives, charging them with escaping from the state penitentiary. The men were sent from Monroe county for 31 years each for arson and robbery. They burned the court house and other buildings at Tompkinsville. Queen Victoria left a private fortune of 2,000,000 pounds. Her will will not be made public. King Edward receives Balmoral, the queen's estate in Scotland, and Princess Beatrice, Princess Henry of Battenburg, inheritor of the house of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha. All relatives receive substantial legacies.

The president has decided to resume his official dinner parties, being justified in doing so by the improvement in his health. It is thought that the annual dinner to the diplomatic body will be the first in order and that this will take place February 14.

It is semi-officially stated at New York that the entire holdings of the Deutsche bank, of Berlin, of the common and preferred stock of the Chicago Terminal Transfer company, have been purchased by Kahn, Loeb & Co. and E. H. Harriman.

Frank C. Hadley sued the Evansville District company, composed of Owensboro and other Kentucky capitalists for \$25,000 damages, for failure to carry out a contract with him to build an independent telephone plant at Evansville.

While arranging her toilet Miss Edith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilson, of Louisville, almost lost her life by her celluloid side comb catching fire. But for the heroic efforts of her mother, the young woman's life would have been lost.

It is stated that Russia will demand 30,000,000 taels' indemnity for the restoration of Manchuria to China, and that a million taels' indemnity will be demanded on account of the killing of the German minister, Baron von Ketteler.

A crusade has been started in towns along the Ohio river against negro idlers. Rock piles have been established in many of the villages as a preventive of the obnoxious visitors.

A New Jersey minister commands Mrs. Nation and advises other women to imitate her. On the other hand, a chapter of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U. has condemned her course.

During the last twenty years 9,845,290 foreigners have entered the United States for the purpose of making their homes here, an average of 474,414 a year.

The first queen with sovereign authority was Semiramis of Assyria, who reigned for forty-two years and abdicated in favor of her son Ninus.

Edward D. Carrell, aged 78 years, a retired hat manufacturer, committed suicide at Philadelphia on account of losses in the stock market.

Eastern capitalists have been investigating the large coal field south of Sturgis with a view of purchasing the tract.

Leading Episcopalians will form a school at Washington for the training of domestic servants.

Drunken Yaqui Indians went on a rampage and terrorized a southwestern town for three days.

Field Marshal Count Gourko, one of the most distinguished of Russian generals, is dead.

**DR. FRANK BOYD**  
OFFICE IN  
BROOK HILL BUILDING.  
Telephone—238  
Fourth and Broadway.  
Take the elevator.

**TO CURE THE GRIPPE**  
—USE—  
**EWALT'S**  
Tablets of Quinine  
Hydrobromate Laxative.

These Tablets will cure Grippe in less time than any other Remedy. Also cure Coughs, Colds and all Catarrhal affections, Neuralgia, Malarial Headache, etc.

**GARDNER'S DRUG STORE,**  
Third and Tennessee Street.

## NOTED HOME

Destroyed by Fire at Georgetown, Early This Morning, With Heavy Losses to the Owner.

## JUDGE CANTRILL'S HOME

The Jury at Catlettsburg Was Given the Gibson Case Early This Afternoon.

## A VERDICT OF DEATH IS EXPECTED

Georgetown, Jan. 31.—The handsome old residence of Judge Cantrill, this city, was gutted by fire this morning. It was one of the most noted mansions in the state. The cause of the fire was a defective flue. Little of the valuable furniture and the relics in the house was saved. Miss Cecil, Mrs. Cantrill's sister, was barely rescued alive. The loss is about \$20,000.

Catlettsburg, Jan. 31.—The Gibson murder case went to the jury this afternoon. The death sentence is fully expected, as the evidence in the case was clear and the feendishness most brutal.

## RAILROAD SUED.

YOUNG MEN ASK JUDGMENT AGAINST THE I. C. FOR \$1,999

They Were Hit at Jefferson Street by a Switch Engine About Two Weeks Ago.

Wm. F. Johnston, of the city, and J. W. Talley, of Mayfield, who were a week ago last Sunday struck by a switch engine at Jefferson street and badly hurt, in addition, their buggy being demolished, this afternoon filed suit against the Illinois Central for \$1,999. Judge James Campbell is their attorney.

Both have about recovered from their injuries.

## HICKMAN CONVICTS.

TWO TAKEN THROUGH FROM FULTON COUNTY TO EDDYVILLE.

The sheriff of Fulton county passed through the city at noon today en route from Hickman to the Eddyville penitentiary with two prisoners, both colored.

They are Chas. Young, two years for breaking into T. O. Copeland's store at Cayce, and Chas. Smith, three years and eight months for shooting a steamboatman named Chas. O'Neal.

## BUILDING PERMITS.

The Forked Deer Pante Co. took out a permit for its \$10,000 building at Ninth and Harrison.

Mr. L. K. Taylor took out a permit for an \$80 addition to his house on South Fourth.

The municipal mix-up at Newport is growing. Warrants have now been issued for the arrest of Alderman Bowman, charged with usurping the office of mayor, and for the arrest of Scott Shoemaker, charging usurpation of the office of alderman.

## See Our Window Display

Of 50c Neckwear which we are offering at 25c. All shapes and colors. B. WEILLE & SON.

## Don't Economize

—AT—  
Your Own Expense

But Have Your Property Covered by

## Insurance.

The Strongest Companies are Represented by

**JULIUS FRIEDMAN,**

Fire! Tornado! Life! Accident!

Burglary! and Employer's Liability.

Office No. 109 N. 4th, lower floor.

## OVERLAND TRAINS.

PECULIAR CARS THAT ARE SEEN GOING THROUGH PADUCAH.

For several days past the Illinois Central has been at irregular intervals carrying through Paducah some peculiarly constructed "trains." It is more than likely that few Paducahans ever saw anything similar to them.

They are known as "overland freight outfits," and were built in Springfield, O., for the La Canea company, in Old Mexico. The "cars" look like huge road wagons, having steel wheels, and their capacity is 700 cubic yards or 20,000 pounds.

Three cars, loaded, constitute a train, and the locomotive looks like a cross between a wheat thrasher and a street roller—only its uglier than both combined.

Thus far three outfits have been shipped through. They do not run on tracks, but on the rough road or most anywhere else.

## BACK TO KENTUCKY.

MR. R. M. PHELPS, FORMERLY OF PADUCAH, TO LIVE IN VERSAILLES.

Dr. R. M. Phelps and wife are in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Wallace, en route to Versailles, Ky., to locate. They have been residing in Silver Cliff, Col., since they were married in Paducah about a year ago. Mrs. Phelps formerly being Miss Matilda Moss, the well known trained nurse, but decided to return to Kentucky and locate. Dr. Phelps was formerly associated professionally with Dr. W. C. Eubanks. He and Mrs. Phelps leave tomorrow for Versailles.

## CONTINUES TO GROW.

FIRM OF L. B. OGLIVIE & CO. JOINS THE COMMERCIAL ASSOCIATION.

The Commercial Association's membership is growing, the last member to be received being the firm of L. B. Ogilvie & Co.

There are yet many people in Paducah who ought to become members of this association. There is no doubt about the great benefit the Commercial Association is to Paducah and it should be largely sustained.

## DIDN'T SMASH.

WAS PREVENTED BY MEN PRESENT—CROWD WOULD NOT ALLOW ARREST.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 31.—Mrs. Nation, the saloon smasher, started on another crusade against saloons this morning. She entered the Apex saloon with a hatchet, but several men prevented any smashing. A big crowd followed her. The police tried to arrest Mrs. Nation, but the crowd prevented this. Being thwarted Mrs. Nation returned to the hotel and the crowd dispersed.

## NEW STOREKEEPER.

MR. R. O. WOOD APPOINTED TO SUCCEED MR. BELL V. GIVEN.

Mr. R. O. Wood was today appointed storekeeper for the Illinois Central shops here, to succeed Mr. Bell V. Given, who is assigned to other duties. The change takes place tomorrow.

It is computed that the average industry has added annually \$43,000,000 directly and \$60,000,000 indirectly to the taxable wealth of the United States.

At all drugists. The best known remedy for coughs and colds. Does not nauseate or physic. Price 25 cents.

**Don't Fall Down**  
But Fall In Line  
With the Big Line of Customers of  
**GEO. O. HART & SON,** Hardware  
Who have the best LINE of RANGES in the City.

**WROUGHT STEEL NEVER BREAK RANGES**  
"Monitor, Old Reliable, Majestic."  
QUALITY A NO. 1. PRICES RIGHT.

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## CHOKED TO DEATH

TRAGIC END OF LITTLE LILA MAY SMITH ON LIVINGSTON

Point—A Walnut Kernel Stuck in Her Windpipe and Killed Her.

Last evening Mrs. A. E. Smith, of Livingston's point, gave her two-year-old daughter, Lila May, a quantity of walnut kernels in her lap, and left her sitting in a box eating them.

From an adjoining room she heard her cry, and rushing in found that in attempting to get the box out of the large kernels had been drawn into the windpipe.

Everything possible was done to relieve the agony of the little sufferer, but she lived but a few hours, all efforts to dislodge the kernel being fruitless.

The funeral will take place at 11 o'clock in the morning.

## AN EVEN TWELVE.

LIZZIE HENDERSON A NEW INMATE OF THE POOR FARM.

Mrs. Lizzie Henderson, an aged woman of Mechanicsburg, was found ill and without means yesterday, and on recommendation of County Physician Pendley, was admitted to the poor farm. There are now twelve inmates of the institution.

## APPOINTED CONSTABLE.

MADE BODENHEIMER SUCCEEDS JOE WASHINGTON.

Maec Bodenheimer has been appointed constable in the first magisterial district to succeed Joe Washington, resigned.

## TO BE TERRORS.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—Changes in the armament of the proposed battleships, seven in all, will make these ships the most formidable fighting vessels in the world.

The original idea was for a battery of four 12-inch and eight superimposed 8-inch guns, with two supplementary broadsides of six 6-inch guns each. The adopted battery will consist of four 12-inch with four 8-inch guns superposed, while the broadsides are increased to eight 6-inch guns each, rapid fire and of the latest patterns. It is in the increase of 6-inch guns that the superiority lies. These use smokeless powder and send a 100-pound projectile three times a minute a distance of two miles, piercing six inches of the best Krupp armor.

Another feature of the battleships is the increased coal bunker capacity, which adds 1,800 miles to their cruising radius.

## COMING TO THIS COUNTRY.

London, Jan. 31.—The visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall to Australia has not been abandoned on account of the queen's death, as was reported. Orders were issued at Portsmouth today to prepare for the duke's trip. He will visit Canada and the United States before returning to England.

## MARRIED LAST NIGHT.

Mr. W. J. Council and Miss Emma Wing, of Princeton, Ky., were married at the Palmer house last night by Rev. W. E. Cave.

A Chicago firm has set up a line of automobiles to transport passengers between its store and one of the railroad stations for 5 cents.

## This Will Cure You

Of going elsewhere for your shoes. The remedy is simple—wear one pair of our "Monarch Pats," Patent Colt Skin Kids. The only Patent Leather Shoe guaranteed against breakage. Price \$3.50 per pair. B. WEILLE & SON.

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## HEALTH COMMITTEE.

IT IS HARD TO DETERMINE ABOUT THE HEALTH OFFICER'S SALARY.

The meeting of the various sanitary committees at the city hall yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock was attended by Mayor Lang and Councilman Elliott, of the council. Drs. Sights, Brooks and Reddick, of the Surgical society, and Dr. P. H. Stewart, of the board of health.

Councilman Elliott, as a member of the sanitary committee and chairman of the finance committee, detailed the trouble the council had had with the health officer, and intimated strongly that the finance committee could not recommend the desired increase in the health officer's salary on account of the city's financial condition.

Drs. Stewart, Reddick and Sights made talks, all urging the increase.

Dr. Sights said the citizens were only one large family, and the mayor and council were the head of it. They should do all in their power to protect the citizens, and should have a live, energetic health officer, whose duty it would be to make regular inspections of the city and the water supply. If the city had no funds it should economize in other departments and provide them.

When the meeting adjourned it was thought Councilman Elliott had been won over to recommending an increase in the health officer's salary to \$250.

## VIATING ON PACIFICATION.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Neither the state department nor the German embassy so far has received any communication from the German government urging the enactment of the Spooner Philippine resolution, as indicated in the latest Manila advices. But the government here is fully acquainted with the desire of foreign capitalists, not only German, but British, to begin immediately the investment of large sums of money in the development of the Philippines as soon as that can be done safely. The Philippine commission, through Judge Taft, has reported that its inability to confer any sort of a permanent franchise has paralyzed the development of the archipelago. The reported pressure from German financial interests was fully expected.

## KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 31.—An investigation of the financial affairs of the endowment fund of the Knights of Pythias, during the last four days, has resulted in the discovery of a shortage of nearly \$5,000. The inquiry is still under way. Whether the deficit will grow under the scrutiny of the expert accountants is a question that cannot be answered now.

The shortage is charged against a trusted clerk in the society. It is said as soon the exact amount missing is ascertained an arrest will be made.

## DANCE CLOSURE CHURCH.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Jan. 31.—Dancing has caused the downfall of Holy Trinity Episcopal church in this city. One faction wanted to dance and the other faction did not. An eruption was the result, and the pastor, Frederick Belcher, resigned.

The church is now closed on account of the dance war, and it will probably not be opened very soon.

## TROLLEY LINE PROJECT.

Mattoon, Ill., Jan. 31.—Articles of incorporation will be filed this week for the construction of a 30-mile trolley line, extending from Paris, Ill., to Clinton, Ind., penetrating valuable coal lands, which have hitherto been cut off from railway facilities. Work on the new road will begin early in the spring. It will cost \$250,000.

## FIND AT ALLIANCE, O.

Alliance, O., Jan. 31.—The Gorman Engineering Co. shot a gas well within the city limits last night that is a gusher. The pressure is so strong that the well can not be capped and the noise of the escaping gas can be heard more than a mile away.

## DR. VORIS BACK.

Dr. J. V. Voris returned at noon today from his trip to New Orleans and Cuba. The doctor says he is tired of being shadowed by detectives all day and night, and is glad to get back to Kentucky, where the people know that he is not Brown, the Newport ex-banker.

## SHILOH COMMISSION.

Commissioner J. H. Ashcraft, of Shiloh Park, has received notice that there will be a meeting of the commission February 11th.

## RECORD BROKEN AT BROOKLYN

The record for car loading at Brooklyn has been broken. Monday there were loaded there 113 cars of crosses, and seven cars of lumber.

Evening Sun only 10 cents a week.

**How to Get 50c for 25c.**

Buy some of the handsome 50c values in the Ties we are now offering for 25c.

**B. WEILLE & SON.**

## EDWARD SEVENTH

Is Being Overwhelmed With Sorrow and the Importance of His Kingly Duties.

## DUKE OF YORK QUITE SICK

Royalty Crowding Into the English Capital to Attend the Queen's Funeral Next Saturday.

## DEWEY IS AGAIN IN CAPE COLONY

London, Jan. 31.—King Edward VII. is overwhelmed with the importance of his kingly duties. He works day and night to clear up the business growing before him. He has already grown quite grave and his sorrow and duties are telling on him, it is clear.

Scores of members of the royal family and visiting royalists are arriving to attend the funeral of the queen Saturday. There are already two kings here.

Saturday will be a holiday in its fullest sense. It will extend to newspapers, restaurants and saloons. The flood of people is already great and there will be a crush along the route to the cortege. Prices for seats and outlooks along the route are fabulous, windows in out of way places selling at \$500.

London, Jan. 31.—There is considerable alarm over the illness of the Duke of York, the heir apparent to the throne. He is quite ill and there are grounds for fear of serious results.

Cape Town, Jan. 31.—It is reported Andrew Wessels, of the Boer peace envoy, was shot at Klefontein by order of Gen. De Wet.

London, Jan. 31.—"It is reported unofficially," says the Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that Gen. De Wet has entered Cape Colony with a fairly strong force. The impatience felt in England at the slow progress of the operations is not warranted, as preparations are being made for a general movement shortly."

Other reports from South Africa are about as unsatisfactory and displeasing as the above.

## DISASTROUS "ZOO" FIRE.

Baltimore, Jan. 31.—Fire in Frank Rosotek's "Zoo" did damage to the amount of \$400,000. The injury to a great extent is almost irreparable.

## MURDERERS MUST HANG.

Kennett, Mo., Jan. 31.—J. H. Teton, murderer of his stepmother and her four children, and Milo Gregory, who killed Joe Covert, will be hanged here February 19.

Advertise in SUN for results.

## NEW SERVICE.

A PADUCAH AND JACKSON RUN INAUGURATED ON THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

The Illinois Central has inaugurated a new service, to be known as the Paducah and Jackson, Tenn., service, or the New Orleans manifest.

At 10:35 a. m. and 8:35 p. m. a freight train leaves for Jackson, Tenn. It will carry only freight for Jackson and points south of Jackson, and the object is to run the train through to Jackson without having to break up the train at Fulton, this saving much delay.

Conductors Holloway, Peoples, Kenney and McCutchen will have the runs.

## FOR DEFENSE.

TRIAL OF DAVIS AGAINST THE COOKANUS CO. DECIDED.

The jury in the trial of G. W. Davis against the Cookanuk Co., for \$2,000 damages for the loss of three fingers on his right hand, brought in a verdict this morning in favor of the defense.

The case of Katherine Davis, colored, against the Street Car company, for \$2,000 damages is still on trial.

## CONTRACTOR KATTERJOHN

WILL PROBABLY GET THE OPERA HOUSE JOB TODAY.

The new opera house contract will probably be let late this afternoon to Contractor F. W. Katterjohn. It is understood his bid for the brick work, is \$23,411. Four o'clock is the time set for deciding the matter.

## WANTED DAUGHTER TO MARRY WHITE MAN.

Suffolk, Va., Jan. 31.—Dempsey Hare, the richest negro in Eastern Virginia, and owner of 3,000 acres of farm land, who died yesterday, had prepared a marble vault, monument and handsome coffin for himself.

Hare, who would not associate with negroes, cherished the ambition that his only daughter should become the wife of a white man. When she wedded a negro the old man was crushed. He refused to recognize her and left the bulk of his property to white friends. Hare once applied to a surgeon to remove the negro blood from his veins.

## CIRCUIT